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### **Statement by Representative Dorothy Hukill on Kenneth Feinberg's Testimony to the House Economic Affairs Committee**

**Tallahassee, Fla.** – Representative Dorothy Hukill (R-Port Orange), chair of the House Economic Affairs Committee, today released the following statement regarding the testimony given by Kenneth Feinberg, administrator of the Gulf Coast Claims Facility, on the claims process in the wake of the Deepwater Horizon incident.

“I would like to thank Mr. Feinberg for giving his testimony to the House Economic Affairs Committee today, as well as everyone else who was in attendance, including those Members who represent the areas impacted by the Deepwater Horizon oil spill.

“After hearing today’s testimony, it is evident that there have been some significant breakdowns within the Gulf Coast Claims Facility and their management of the private compensation process.

“We will further examine this issue, but I believe that specific changes need to be made to the way the Gulf Coast Claims Facility currently operates, and that those changes will need to be implemented in a timely and efficient manner. I look forward to receiving the final methodology Mr. Feinberg promised would be released today.”

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